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Enclosed are also:

- $\underline{X}$  21 Pages of Specification including an Abstract
- X 4 Pages of Claims
- $\overline{X}$  15 Sheet(s) of Drawings
- X A Declaration and Power of Attorney
- Form PTO 1595 and assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation

## CLAIMS AS FILED

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